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PAW PAW, VAN BUREN COUNTY, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1903.

Whole Number 2506.

Three Special Sales!

Saturday and Monday,
APRIL 4 and 6.

On these two days we offer the following:

15 dozen Women's Burlington Fast Black, Fine Gauge Hosiery. Double Heels and Toes, Shaped Ankles, Elastic top. A hose you would pay 20 cents for, for equal value elsewhere. Our Special price.

Two Pr. for 25c.

Special Sale of Ladies' Tailor Made Suits and Skirts.

Owing to the large stock of Suits and Skirts on hand we have decided to offer a Special Discount of 10 per cent on our entire stock of new garments, FOR THESE TWO DAYS ONLY.

\$10.00 Suits \$9.00, \$12.50 Suits \$11.25, \$15.00 Suits \$13.50, \$16.50 Suits \$14.85, Etc.

A Special Bargain in Women's Mercerized Underskirts

In our Elite adjustable glove fitting Skirt.

Having purchased a quantity of two styles at a greatly reduced price in waist bands 19 to 24 inches, 38 to 44 inches long we offer them at \$1.90 and \$2.25. Regular price, \$2.50 and \$3.00

STORE NOTES.

New Belts, Wrist Bags, Waist Sets, Brooches, Laces and Embroideries, just opened.

W. R. SELICK.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PAW PAW.

The Oldest and Only National Bank in Van Buren County.

Capital \$100,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits 25,000
Additional Liability of Shareholders 100,000
Total Responsibility \$225,000

3 Per Cent Interest Paid On Time Deposits.

BANKERS AND MONEY LOANERS.

The Paw Paw Savings Bank.
Wm. J. SELICK, President.
J. J. WOODMAN, Vice President.
J. W. FREE, Cashier.

Commencing November 1st, 1902, 3 per cent interest will be paid on NEW Time Certificates of Deposit.

Money to loan on real estate. E. F. PARKS.

R. E. Jennings, Paw Paw.
Inspector of Securities for Michigan Mutual Life Insurance Company.

\$25,000 To Loan
At 5 per cent on real estate.
W. J. BARNARD.

UNDERTAKERS.

R. A. Shoemith, residence 57 Pine St., just west of Presbyterian church. [54tf]

Thompson Furniture Co.
Furniture and Undertaking.
Night calls answered, corner St. Joseph and LaGrave sts.: Kibbie 'phone [2365]



A Chance to
Save Money.

33 YEARS IN
PAW PAW

I have a large stock of Marble and Granite, all as good material as money will buy. Some 30 monuments, large and small, I shall offer for 60 days at very close to actual cost. Terms made easy. Paw Paw Marble and Granite works. I. A. WHITMAN.

LAWYERS.

W. J. Barnard.
Attorney at law. Office opposite court house, Paw Paw. [2389]

David Anderson—Lawyer.
All business given prompt and careful attention. Office over Paw Paw Savings Bank.

A. Lynn Free—Lawyer.
Office over Avery's store, Paw Paw, Michigan.

Osborn, Mills & Master
Attorneys at Law. Offices, Academy of Music Block, Kalamazoo, Michigan.
Can supply loans on good real estate.

Lincoln H. Titus.
Attorney at Law—Abstract Building—Law, Insurance and Collections.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Pensions.
Having recently been admitted to practice before the department of the interior, I shall hold myself in readiness to transact any business before the department that may be entrusted to me. Especial attention will be given to pension claims. [30tf]

O. W. ROWLAND.
The leading fire insurance companies represented by

Geo. L. Bruner.
Contractor and building mover, all kinds of plain and fancy stone work done. Will take contracts for all kinds of building and repairing and furnish everything. Satisfaction guaranteed. I sell and set up Snow Bros. furnaces. Kibbie phone at residence. GEO. L. BRUNER.

R. E. Chappell.
GRADUATE OPTICIAN. Eyes promptly fitted and warranted satisfactory. At G. E. Chappell's jewelry store, Paw Paw, Mich. [30tf]

Woman's Exchange.
Call at the Woman's Exchange for home made baking. All orders promptly filled. Delivering done. Both 'phones. [tf]

The Wolverine Nursery. A complete line of guaranteed stock at moderate prices. G. E. PRATER, Jr., Prop., 2499tf Paw Paw, Mich.

Pasture
For a limited amount of stock. 90tf
OLMSTEAD FARM.
Box 276. One mile north of Paw Paw.

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Of all kinds done promptly and correctly at The True Northerner office. Satisfaction is guaranteed every customer.

FOR SALE.
Farm for Sale Cheap.
Thirty acres section 12 Pine Grove township, fair buildings, well improved good grape land; must be sold. Address L. R. Brooks, Marshall, Mich. 04tf

Owing to inability to till it, I offer my large garden of 9 1/2 acres of very choice land, with two barns and a good house in this village, for sale.
G. P. LINDERMAN.

For Sale.
Ten bushels of Burpee's early potatoes, at 60 cents.
ROY L. TUTTLE.

Grape Vines.
I have got 10,000 more of those \$15.00 Concord grape vines; can't get any more. I can give you a good bargain in cherry trees if you don't wait too long; also Duchess and other apples, Kieffer pear, chestnut, evergreen, quinces. I have nectarine trees, mulberry, box elder, Carolina poplar, cherry currants, big black currants, etc. Don't wait until planting time before you order.
C. H. MOSIER, Paw Paw.

Plaster for Sale.
E. S. Stevens at Paw Paw has plaster for sale. 201tf

Good 1-year-old Palmetto Asparagus roots for sale. FRANK J. WEBB. 2502tf

For Sale, Grape Juice Stock.
More safe and will pay a better interest than farm lands. Please call. Office over E. B. Longwell's store. [tf]

For Sale or Exchange.
160 acres of land 3 1/2 miles east of Grayling, 40 acres improved. House and barn on place. School house on the land. Address, B. W. HIPP, Paw Paw, Mich. t3

WANTED.
WANTED IMMEDIATELY, resort property to rent or sell, and stocked farms, as I have some patrons listed for such property. MRS. MARY S. COLBURN.

Wanted
E. S. Stevens has purchased the elevator at Lawrence for the Stockbridge Elevator Co. and is ready to buy all kinds of grain and corn. Same at the Paw Paw elevator as usual. Also 9 good cows for sale. [30tf]

WANTED.
Bean Pickers. Armour & Co.

DENTISTS.

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S.
Dental Parlor.

All operations, including Crown and Bridge work, rendered as painless as possible. Office in Longwell Block, Paw Paw, Mich.

O. E. Lanphear, D. D. S.
Over Tyler's, Paw Paw. Kibbie 'phone. At Lawrence Mondays only.

Dr. C. V. Carpenter's
Unique Dental Parlor, over Quaternas' store. Open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Friday and Saturday of each week. Teeth filled and extracted positively without pain. Kibbie 'phone. [tf]

It is reported that strawberries are in blossom.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carr Tuesday, a son.

Fr. Clarkson will hold services in Decatur next Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Pugsley is again clerking in I. J. Cummings' store.

Mrs. Rose Smith is building a new porch on her residence.

Mrs. F. W. Rhodes and son Claire have moved onto their farm again.

Mrs. Walter Cash is confined to the house on account of sickness.

R. A. Shoemith will commence work soon on his new store building.

Frank Shaffer of Hartford is spending 90 days in the county jail.

The young ladies' cooking club met with Miss Jane Broughton last evening.

Married, at Paw Paw, March 27, 1903, by Justice O. W. Rowland, John Harmon Fuller and Goldie May Wise, both of Hartford.

Mrs. Eva Bell of Kalamazoo is in the millinery department of C. R. Avery's store. She will work there during the busy season.

The Epworth league gave Paul Hutchins a birthday surprise Monday evening. After the regular meeting, refreshments were served and a pleasant visit enjoyed.

Rev. Stansbury of Davison has been engaged to preach in the Free Baptist church the coming year. He will occupy the Brooks residence on Paw Paw street.

Miss Viola Monroe has been accepted as a missionary in the Bihorn Free Baptist mission in Chicago, and will go from Hillsdale to assume her new duties April 6.

The three supervisors of South Haven city were in town yesterday, after their tickets and supplies. The other supervisors of the county will get their supplies to-day.

S. O. Kenyon has purchased G. F. Merrill's cigar factory and took possession Monday. We predict that he will make a success of the business. Mr. Merrill will remain in the village or else move onto his farm.

Mrs. Henrietta Root of Lawton, widow of the late Daniel T. Root, has been allowed a pension of \$12 per month with two dollars additional for each of her three minor children. O. W. Rowland was her attorney in procuring the allowance of her claim.

Mrs. Dollie Putnam, who has spent the past six weeks at the U. of M. hospital at Ann Arbor, is in very feeble health, her condition being such that the surgeons pronounce a successful operation impossible. She has been placed in the medical ward.

Earl Burhans, who underwent an operation for appendicitis several weeks ago, is slowly on the gain. Mr. Burhans, his father, has been staying with him for the past few days at the U. of M. hospital, while Mrs. B. has returned to Paw Paw to rest up after her long watch at the bedside of her son.

W. J. Warner has purchased the grocery and meat market of his father, J. C. Warner, and commenced the conduct of the business April 1. Wilbur is one of Paw Paw's best young men and deserves success. He starts right with a good-sized adv. in The True Northerner, which all should read.

The Coterie had a first day of April session. While there were some disappointments on the program (as for instance when one of the brightest members seated herself at the piano, deliberately withdrew her gloves, and then calmly walked back to her chair without playing a note), the day was an enjoyable one with unique surprises appropriate to the day.

It has been reported that, if elected as supervisor, Wesley J. Thomas intends to resign and allow another man to be put in the place. The True Northerner is in a position to state positively that there is no truth whatever in the report. If Mr. Thomas is elected, as we believe he will be, he will give his personal attention to all official duties connected with the position and will continue in the office for the term for which he is elected.

A very elegant April Fool party was planned and successfully carried out by the members of the Gliddenburg L. A. S. in the shape of a surprise for their secretary, Mrs. Florence Harris. Early in the afternoon the ladies, with well filled baskets, entered her home unannounced and at once made themselves at home, their hosts being too completely surprised to offer resistance. In behalf of the company, President Mrs. Flora Hutchins in a few well chosen remarks presented her a rocker as a token of their esteem. After an elegant supper the guests departed, each glad they were of the number.

M. L. Decker has the plans for the fine new residence he expects to build on north Kalamazoo street.

The True Northerner was in error last week in stating that John Otten and Loren Wise were in jail. Both paid their fines.

Congressman Hamilton has ended the South Haven postoffice contest by the announcement that he has decided to recommend the appointment of George H. Myhan.

John Rose died of paralysis last Friday at his home north of town after a long sickness. His age was 73 years and he was a member of the G. A. R. The services were held at the house Monday, and burial was in Austin cemetery.

C. C. Chappell went to Kalamazoo, Sunday, after Ishmael Covell, who escaped from the county jail here last April. Covell was arrested by Sheriff Shipman. He was awaiting trial on a charge of adultery when he escaped, and is now held for forgery.

Reports from various points in the fruit belt, published in the Country Visitor, show that there will be a good many peaches this year, although not nearly a full crop. Growers will be wise to thin thoroughly the varieties that do bear, insuring fine fruit and a good price.

The M. E. church was packed at the local option meeting last Sunday evening. The principal address was made by L. H. Titus, and it was one of the strongest arguments in favor of the law ever made to a Paw Paw audience. Hon. J. J. Woodman also made an excellent short address.

The Pere Marquette took control of the S. H. & E. line April 1. As yet, no changes have been made except to take off the Sunday trains. It is understood but one depot will be used at Hartford. The Pere Marquette auditor has been here and checked up the station. It will probably be but a short time until "something will be doing" to carry out the projects of the new owners.

At the county convention of the M. W. A. held in South Haven, Wednesday of this week, Lincoln H. Titus of this place and Charles R. Catt of Bangor were elected delegates to the state camp of the order to be held in Owosso, May 6. A very interesting and successful meeting is reported to have been held at South Haven, and every camp in the county except Alpena and Decatur were represented.

The First National bank block will be at least two stories, possibly three, with a full stone front. It is expected the postoffice will occupy half of the first floor, and both that office and the bank will be furnished in the most modern style. An agent of the postoffice department has been here, has seen the necessity of larger quarters and made an arrangement with the bank which he will recommend to the department, and there is no doubt the lease will be made.

Personals.

Leland Gorton is in Battle Creek.
Jos. Buck of Kalamazoo was in town Wednesday.

C. W. Young was at Pontiac the forepart of the week.

Chas. Schmelze has returned from a trip to Cincinnati.

Miss Bell Barber is visiting friends in Chicago this week.

G. A. Cross of Lawrence is visiting at Frank Wakeman's.

Mrs. Dr. Wiggins of Lawrence was in Paw Paw yesterday.

I. W. W. Gibbs of Kalamazoo was in Paw Paw, Wednesday.

Miss Scheuerman has returned from a short visit in Ann Arbor.

Miss Rena Van Fossen is home from Colon for a week's vacation.

Mrs. G. W. Longwell arrived home from California last Friday.

Mr. Olmstead and family have moved to their farm north of town.

Miss Rose Cohn of Decatur is the guest of Miss Jane Broughton.

Miss Gail Parks is spending her spring vacation with her parents here.

Glen Warner returns from Ann Arbor to-morrow for the spring vacation.

J. F. Cavanaugh of Ann Arbor is the guest of his brother, T. J. Cavanaugh.

Mrs. Van Fleet was at Kalamazoo last week, attending the millinery openings.

Miss Osborn spent a few days last week with her parents in Battle Creek.

A. B. Grosbeck of Grand Rapids was a guest of Miss Pearl Haggart one day last week.

W. H. Mason and family are moving into J. F. Taylor's house on north Niles street.

Ned. Harrison of the Agricultural college spent the forepart of the week in Paw Paw.

M. J. Coy and family are now residents of the village. Lochiel Hagerman is on their farm.

Mrs. E. A. Wilbey and Mrs. Harrington of Lansing are spending a few days in Paw Paw.

Mrs. M. L. O'Dell arrived home Wednesday evening, after spending the winter in California.

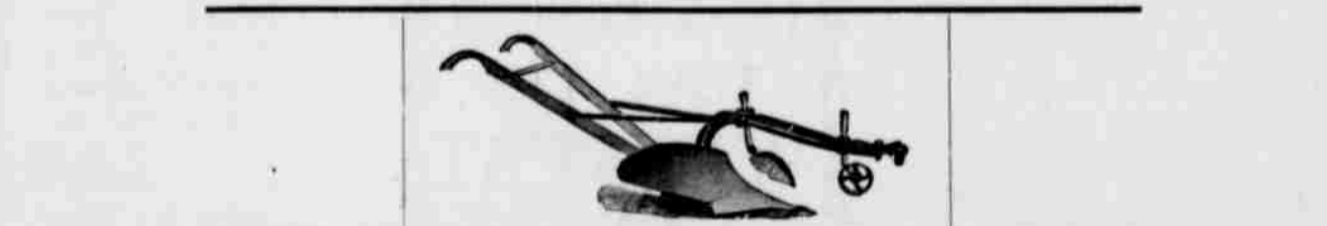
Miss Ione Reynolds, who is attending college at Ypsilanti, is spending her spring vacation in Paw Paw.

Dr. G. F. Young has been spending part of the week at Ann Arbor. He expects to return to his practice at South Haven next week.

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It may cost more, but think of the satisfaction! Now, take our Syracuse Steel Plow for instance. It costs \$14.00, but it's the best there is. You buy a cheap, inferior plow, one that draws harder and don't do as good work, and perhaps you'd get it for ten or twelve dollars. You think you have saved three or four hard earned dollars. But have you? Oftentimes a dollar saved in the purchase price costs several dollars in expense later on. Ask your neighbor who is ploughing with his Syracuse if you would save any money by buying a cheaper plow. He will tell you that a Syracuse is worth double the price of any other plow sold. To convince you that this is true, we let you take one on trial.



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We want more than a trial order, that's why we sell only dependable goods.

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